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SUBJECT: CYPRUS: CEASEFIRE VIOLATIONS

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1. ASSUME DEPT HAS RECEIVED REFS (A) AND (B). SITUATION
IN WESTERN SECTOR OF TURKISH OCCUPATION ZONE STILL UNCLEAR
BUT AS BEST WE CAN DETERMINE ALL THREE TOWNS IN NATIONAL
GUARD HANDS AS OF THIS MORNING.

2. WE WOULD EXPECT THERE HAS BEEN FIGHTING IN VASILIA
BECAUSE IT CLOSE TO KARAVAS AREA OF OPERATIONS. WE CANNOT
EXCLUDE THAT THERE HAS BEEN SOME FIRING IN KONDEMENOS AND
AGRIDHAKI.

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3. TURKISH EMBASSY, TOO, NOW COMPLAINING OF CEASEFIRE

VIOLETIONS, ALLEGING NG HAS OVERRUN ONE OF REMAINING
ENCLAVES IN PAPHOS AND ATTACKING SECOND. UNFICYP CONFIRMS
FIGHTING GOING ON.
ACCORDING TURK EMBASSY ACCOUNT, FIRST VILLAGE (WITH 700
INHABITANTS) WAS ATTACKED AT 1200 LOCAL BY 1,000 NG TROOPS.
THERE HAVE BEEN NUMEROUS VILATIONS OF NICOSIA GREEN LINE
CEASEFIRE DURING COURSE OF DAY. SPORADIC FIRING STILL GOING ON.
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